

THIRTEENTH YEAR.

WILMINGTON, DEL., MONDAY, JUNE 18, 1900.

ONE CENT.

ADDICKS REFUSED RECOGNITION BY THE NATIONAL COMMITTEE

**He Must Conduct His Losing Fight Before
the Committee on Credentials and
the National Convention**

**DELAWARE REPUBLICANS WILL
HAVE NO RELATIONS WITH HIM**

**Demand That Party Wrecker
Be Eliminated**

ADDICKSITES ARE DISPIRITED

**Had Built Their Hopes on Obtaining
the Endorsement of the Na-
tional Committee**

Special to the Evening Journal.
Philadelphia, June 18.—(1.30 p. m.)—A large delegation of representative business men from Delaware, representing Wilmington and the largest towns in the state, are here working against Addicks.

Every indication now seems to point to the naming of McKinley, with Governor Roosevelt, of New York, as his running mate.

Philadelphia, Pa., June 18.—The Delaware contest is the all-absorbing topic among the hundreds of Delawareans who are here to-day.

Both the Republicans and Addicksites are as busy as beavers, working among the delegations from the other states and territories, and endeavoring to obtain a Committee on Credentials favorable to their respective sides.

At both the Republican and Addicks headquarters there is the greatest activity, and messengers are scurrying hither and thither carrying out the different lines of the big fight.

In the Hotel Walton and other political storm-centers much work bearing on the Delaware contest is being done.

Addicks is losing ground hourly. He and his men are trying to stem the tide, but it apparently is getting irresistibly in favor of the Republicans, who refuse any and all compromises with the Addicksites, knowing that they are not Republicans and that they are deserving of no recognition at the hands of the Republican National organization.

Among the prominent Republicans here are Col. Henry A. DuPont, National Committeeman Henry B. Thompson, State Chairman Hugh C. Browne, State Secretary William H. Heald, Philip Q. Churchman, State Senator Samuel M. Knox, E. B. Shurter, Horace G. Knowles, Former Representative Jonathan S. Willis, Charles F. Richards, Robert G. Monston, George B. Hynson, United States District Attorney William Michael Byrne, Former United States Senator Anthony Higgins, Levi C. Bird and many other prominent Delawareans who are opposed to any recognition being given the gasmen.

Addicks and his lieutenants from all parts of the state are here, buttonholing delegates and trying to work up sympathy. They are having poor success. It is their hope that the arrival of their club for parade purposes this evening will have an effect, but the Young Men's Republican Club will more than counteract that effect.

Philadelphia, June 18.—Addicksism received a hard blow on Saturday night

WOMAN MOBBED BY GIRLS FOR RIDING IN BOYCOTTED CAR; PELTED WITH MUD AND STONES

St. Louis, June 18.—The controversy between the St. Louis Transit company and its striking employees has developed into a struggle between capital and labor along the lines of a boycott. President Gompers, of the American Federation of Labor, has declared that he will do all in his power to bring the influence of the whole body of organized labor in America to bear upon the local situation in an effort to win the strike for the union. The boycott to be declared will apply not only to the St. Louis Transit company, but to every business man, every association and every corporation or individual favoring it in any way.

from the National Convention Committee, which has been hearing arguments since Wednesday on contests of several states for seats in the convention. As a result of a resolution passed by the committee the Addicksites must go before the convention to-morrow and make over again the fight which they fought at St. Louis four years ago. It was one which they attempted to avoid this year by playing upon the committee, and the sub-committee which was appointed to thoroughly sift out every semblance of Addicksism, corruption and unwholesome politics that the adherents and cohorts of the gasman could bring to bear upon the committee. Men like those who composed the committee were unwilling to taste much less digest the rot that was thrown in their paths by the gasman's henchmen. A survey at a distance was sufficient for them and with the decisiveness of clear-headed politicians, washed their hands of the whole matter. Before the convention to-morrow Addicks and his cohorts will be dealt with as quickly as were those sent to the city beyond the Mississippi where President McKinley was nominated. About dusk they will take up their line of march by a right flank movement into Walnut street. Thence in a retreat by the most direct route to Broad street station.

VICTORY FOR REPUBLICANS.

The action of the National Committee was a decided victory for the Republicans, who since Wednesday morning have left no stone unturned in establishing the undisputed right which they have to recognition as the representative Delawareans who will cast their votes this week for the next president of the United States, William McKinley. Not only had they pointed out the corrupt methods through which the gasman has gained a following, but they demonstrated that the conservative, well-thinking business men of the state and of Wilmington abhor the thought of the re-election of Addicks by a national body. There could be no better demonstration than by the appearance of a number of the best and influential men of Wilmington within the theatre of war on Saturday morning and afternoon.

Determined and strenuously the Republicans set to work early on Saturday morning. A conference was held at the Hotel Stenton in which Messrs. DuPont, Manlove B. Hayes, Thompson, Churchman, Knox, Nields, Houston, Browne, Shurter and Charles F. Richards took part. A plan of action was outlined on which to proceed when the committee of Republicans should go before the sub-committee at the meeting arranged for 10 o'clock. After nearly two hours discussion it was decided to go before the sub-committee and renew with emphasis that Addicks must not be recognized. That nothing bearing the earmarks of Addicksism should be accepted. However, should the sub-committee still insist on harmony the proposition would be met by joining issue with the Union Republicans, with Addicks left out, on any reasonable ground. The determination with which they set to work left no doubt in the minds of their friends as to how counter-propositions would be met. The effect upon the committee can be judged by the result.

It was 10.45 when the committee of Republicans arrived at the Hotel Walton where they were joined by a number of visitors who came up from Wilmington. The sub-committee had preceded the Delawareans who went directly to the apartments of Senator Mark A. Hanna on third floor, where, the national chairman and the committeemen were found. It was a business meeting with business men, and hardly had the door shut out the

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PUT 500 REBELS IN HOT PURSUIT

**American Troops Under Fun-
ston and Grant Capture
Mountain Stronghold**

Manila, June 18.—The United States forces had two engagements of importance last week. The troops under Gen. Funston and Gen. Grant organized an advance, with parts of five regiments and two guns, against 500 rebels in a mountain stronghold east of Bacanabata, where it was supposed Capt. Roberts, of the Thirty-fifth regiment, who was captured last month at San Miguel de Mayumo, was held captive.

The Americans operated under many difficulties and over an exceedingly rough country, but the rebels retreated, only a few retreating, and the stronghold was occupied and burned.

As the result of last week's scouting 60 Filipinos were killed, 200 were captured and 300 rifles, with 23,000 rounds of ammunition, were surrendered. Three Americans were killed. Malaria fever has been prevalent since April in parts of Cavite and Batangas provinces, which are garrisoned by the Forty-sixth and Thirty-ninth regiments. Thirty per cent of the men of each regiment are on the sick list. Of two battalions in Batangas province one has 150 sick and the other 190.

EXPLODING DYNAMITE IN ST. LOUIS NOW

St. Louis, June 18.—Some trouble was experienced yesterday on the Page avenue division of the Transit company. As a car was passing the corner of Page and Taylor avenues it exploded a dynamite cartridge. Both of the front wheels were shattered, all of the windows of the car were broken and the motorman was thrown violently to the street. He was not seriously injured. There were three passengers on the car, but all escaped injury. A few minutes later another car on the same division was stopped just in time to avoid exploding a large package of dynamite.

NATAL VOLUNTEERS RELEASED FROM SERVICE BY GEN. BULLER

London, June 18.—There are some indications that Lord Roberts considers the end of the struggle in South Africa not far distant. One of these is the fact that the Natal volunteers, who had seen hard service, were dismissed to their homes by Sir Redvers Buller Saturday. They were cheered as they left his camp.

Another indication is the report current in authoritative informed military circles in London that a complete division of regulars is to be withdrawn from Gen. Buller's army and embarked at Durban for China. The troops drawn from India will probably go next.

Lord Roberts let yesterday go by without telegraphing, and the correspondents at headquarters are, as they have been for ten days, silent.

Unofficial intelligence from Machadodorp, via Lourenço Marques, is to the effect that the British troops are near Middleburg. The Boer narrative of the fighting east of Pretoria, posted on a bulletin board outside of President Kruger's car at Machadodorp, ran thus:

"The commandoes east of Pretoria,

and ornamental articles are also offered for sale, as well as pretty souvenir buttons.

MR. JENNINGS ACCEPTS

Pastorate of Wakefield Presbyterian Church of Germantown, Pa.

Formal acceptance by the Rev. F. Cornwell Jennings of the pastorate of the Presbyterian Church in Germantown, was announced from that pulpit yesterday.

Mr. Jennings is the pastor of Hanover Church, this city, where he served as one of its most efficient and popular preachers. He was born in South Carolina, and is the son of a prominent physician of that state. He was graduated by the Presbyterian College of South Carolina in 1892 as a B. A., and in 1893 as a M. A., and in 1896 was graduated by Princeton Theological Seminary.

During 1895 he was regularly licensed to preach by the Presbytery of Enoree, S. C., and in May, 1896, was ordained and installed pastor of Morrisville Church, by the Presbytery of Philadelphia, North. In October, 1898, he was chosen pastor of Hanover Church.

Couplers Must Be Automatic

According to a recent act of Congress, all freight cars on the P. W. & B. railroad must be equipped with automatic couplers after August 1.

KING CARNIVAL NOW SUPREME

**Wilmington Given Over to
the Elks for a Week**

**STREET SHOW IS OPEN
Grand Parades Every Day Will Be
Prominent Features of the
Exhibition**

Despite the rain of yesterday, hundreds of persons crowded the carnival grounds and looked over the site of the Midway and industrial street.

The work of erecting the booths and fences about the grounds was completed on Saturday, and on that day and yesterday many exhibitors took up their quarters for the week.

BOSTOCK COMPANY ARRIVES.

At 1.30 o'clock this morning the Bostock aggregation arrived from Baltimore over the Baltimore and Ohio railroad. It at once proceeded to the grounds and began the work of erecting tents, etc. At 7.30 o'clock to-night the Midway will be in full array.

H. B. Potter, assistant general manager of the Bostock Company, and L. E. Granger, general commissary for the show, arrived yesterday and spent several hours at the office of Assistant Director-General Grantley P. Postles, on the carnival grounds. Both men are enthusiastic over the location of the carnival grounds, and predict that the present street fair will be one of the most successful ever held.

POLICE AND FIRE PROTECTION.

Arrangements for police and fire protection during the carnival have been completed and the grounds will be thoroughly patrolled. Besides the extra eighteen men appointed by the Elks' Committee, the district has been doubled and now four regular officers will patrol the grounds day and night. The men are under command of Sergeant James B. Tucker and Aaron Rice.

AN ATTRACTIVE BOOTH.

The booth of St. Peter's Pro-Cathedral at the carnival is one of the most elaborate and attractive on the grounds. It is presided over by Mrs. C. C. Montgomery, assisted by a corps of young women of the parish, who dispense ice cream, lemonade, sandwiches, coffee and milk. A number of useful

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In the direction of Bronkhorst Spruit, were compelled to retire after a fierce stand of more than two days, in a way that the admission of the acting commander-in-chief, the short range rifle fire was very hot, and for part of the second day, especially late in the afternoon, the enemy fought at a distance of 100 yards. Our loss cannot be given yet. The acting commander-in-chief only mentions Field Cornet General Van Buren killed. He was one of the pluckiest men in the field.

"Information is again to hand regarding the miserable condition of the enemy's troops that have penetrated to Johannesburg and Pretoria. The continually complaint of the lack of food. Several British soldiers have died in the streets of Pretoria of exhaustion and starvation. Along the roads lie the corpses of horses and mules, while living animals are so weak that they are hardly able to carry their loads."

Another bulletin at Machadodorp, according to a dispatch dated June 15, says:

"Fifteen officers and 500 British sol-

diers, prisoners, have arrived at Standerton, Free State, bound for Nooit uedacht. Thirty burghers were killed and wounded during the last few days' fighting near Pretoria."

June Drop is Over

Reports from all parts of the state show that practically no damage has been done to the peach orchards by the much-feared "June drop." The trees were so full of fruit that the dropping did good by relieving them of the extra burden. A large crop is confidently expected.

Wilmington Clearing Houses

Clearings in the local banks last week amounted to \$1,062,300, as compared with \$891,378 for the corresponding week of last year.

FILLED LOCAL PULPITS

Interesting Sermons Delivered in the City Churches Yesterday

In the absence of the pastor the Rev. J. W. Easley the Revs. F. P. Harris and G. P. Karlson preached in Brandywine M. E. Church yesterday.

In Central Presbyterian Church yesterday the Rev. Murray S. Howland preached an excellent sermon.

The Rev. George H. Trull, of East Lake Presbyterian Church, and the Rev. J. J. Huston of the United Presbyterian Church exchanged pulpits yesterday.

Pledges for the mortgage fund of Harrison Street M. E. Church were received at both services yesterday. The Rev. Samuel McBurney of Philadelphia, preached at both services.

The Rev. E. H. Johnson preached at Bethany Baptist Church yesterday.

Baptism was celebrated at Immanuel Church yesterday morning.

The Rev. John Duffin preached in Ingersoll M. E. Church last evening.

Yesterday morning the Rev. Eugene H. Thrasher of New Castle preached in Scott M. E. Church.

Last Meeting Until Fall

Sunshine Circle of King's Daughters of St. Paul's M. E. Church held its last meeting of the season this afternoon. The circle will resume its meetings in the Fall.

Enoch Moore and Sons' Company, 1 float.
Wilmington Corning Company.
Cahill & Co., 2 coaches.
George B. Ward, 1 float.
S. H. Foulk, ten horses.
Manhattan Laundry, 4 wagons.
Cann Brothers.
City Steam Laundry.

SECOND DIVISION.

Marshal Frank A. Mitchell and staff of aides, comprising David Snellenburg, C. Reginald Van Trump, Hyatt's Band.
Joseph Gooding, 3 wagons.
Pusey and Jones Company, 1 float.
Hartmann and Pehrenbach Brewing Company, 1 float.

Delaware Electric and Supply Company, 1 float.

Simmons Brothers, 2 floats.

F. A. Mitchell, 2 floats.

H. A. Miller, 1 float.

Enoch Moore and Sons' Company, 1 float.

Grand Union Tea Company, 3 wagons.

William Lea and Sons' Company, 3 wagons.

William M. Foord, 1 float.

Malcolm Patterson, 3 wagons.

William Wilson, Jr.

Sterling Brothers, 6 wagons.

Bostock outfit.

As a signal for marching three taps were struck on the City Hall bell, and the parade was almost two miles in length.

WHISTLES WERE BLOWN.

Upon the arrival of the parade at the grounds State Secretary Hughes made the opening address, and was followed by Mayor John C. Fahy, who delivered the keys of the city over to the Elks' Committee. As soon as Mayor Fahy finished his address Maybelle Moore, the little daughter of George B. Moore, then plucked a flower from the bouquet which, by an electrical current, opened the gates. Howson's Band was on the stand and played "And Lead us on." Then the Elks' took up the song. They then formed and marched into the grounds. As soon as the flower was plucked and handed to the secretary of state, every whistle in the city was blown.

TO-MORROW FIREMEN'S DAY.

To-morrow will be firemen's day, and promptly at 1 o'clock firemen and police will unite and turn out.

On Wednesday the largest parade of the fair is expected, it being floral day. On Thursday night there will be a grand masked turnout. Friday will be military day, and it is expected that all the companies of the First Delaware Regiment will be in line, together with a number of G. A. R. men.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Pepper spent Sunday with Georgetown friends.

MURDER OF GERMAN MINISTER HAS NOT BEEN CONFIRMED

Report Traced to the Tao Tai Sheng, Who, as Empress Dowager's Agent, Has Been Censoring Telegrams From Shanghai

THIS ACCIDENT WAS EXCITING

**Telephone Tangle Brought
Fire Apparatus and Am-
bulance to Scene**

There was excitement of various phases in the vicinity of the Evening Journal office this morning. The primary cause of all of it was an accident to a colored man, and while this was serious enough in itself, conditions that grew out of it were as amusing as have been recorded here.

David Anderson, colored, of No. 306 Adams streets, a driver in the employ of George Chadwick, coal and wood dealer at No. 308 Maryland avenue, was riding a spirited horse in Shipley street when the animal became frightened at his rider reaching for a piece of zinc which lay on a barrel of ashes. So suddenly did the horse jump that Anderson was thrown headlong from it, and, alighting on his head on the firebrick paved street, was rendered unconscious.

A telephone call was sent from the Evening Journal office to the Phoenix ambulance, and in a few minutes that vehicle was at Fourth and Shipley streets. It was preceded, however, by the chemical engine of the Washington Fire Company, and the big truck of the Delaware Fire Company, as well. The horses attached to the vehicles were smarting with excitement, and the firemen were particularly anxious to reach the fire which they believed was raging somewhere in the vicinity. One can imagine their exasperation when they learned there was no fire. When the ambulance arrived Anderson had recovered sufficiently to go to a nearby stable and while he recovered the chemical engine of the Washington Fire Company, and the big truck of the Delaware Fire Company, as well. The horses attached to the vehicles were smarting with excitement, and the firemen were particularly anxious to reach the fire which they believed was raging somewhere in the vicinity. 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